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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-RESPONSIVE AMENDMENT DATED**  
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**AND**  
**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

This is a Response to the Notice dated September 17, 2007, and an Amendment in support of the Response. Please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 18 of this paper.